



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Docket No. : 037141.53041US  
Customer No. : 23911  
  
Title : Method and Apparatus for Controlling a Secondary Air Stream in a  
Combustion Engine

**Mail Stop AMENDMENT**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**REPLY**

Sir:

In response to the Office action of May 9, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.